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From Hon. W. H. Jones, of West Dover, Vermont.

"I have been troubled from my boyhood with chronic or hereditary lung complaint. Some years since, early in the winter, I took cold, which as usual settled into a severe cough, which continued to increase as the season advanced, although I made use of all the cough remedies I had knowledge of. My family physician also prescribed for me, but I felt no relief. During all this time I was gradually running down, losing flesh and strength, until my friends as well as myself, became very much alarmed, thinking I should waste away in consumption. While in Boston, during the spring following, I was induced to try WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. After one day's trial I was sensible that it was relieving me; in ten days time my cough had entirely ceased, and I was soon restored to my health and strength. I have ever since kept the BALSAM in my house, and whenever any member of my family has a cough or cold, it is immediately resorted to. No family should be without it." Sold by all druggists.

A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature—rain, wind and sunshine, often intermingled in a single day—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschnee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill and, perhaps, death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial 10 cents; regular size, 75 cents. *

Coming to Oregon.

The afflicted will be glad to learn that a corps of Surgeons from the National Surgical Institute, fitted out with a complete assortment of apparatus for the treatment of every human deformity, will again visit Portland, Oregon, at the St. Charles Hotel from June 25th to July 1st, inclusive, 1878. This Institution, originally founded at Indianapolis, Indiana, has extended its business throughout the United States and has attained a reputation for the successful treatment of Spinal Curvature, Hip and Knee Joint Diseases, Club Feet, Paralysis, Piles and Fistula, heretofore unknown to the profession. References of the highest order can be given. *

PEACE PROCLAIMED.—After ten years of active warfare! I have been at war with my customers for ten long years, and I am now ready to DYE FOR THEM at reduced rates. Gents' clothes cleaned and repaired; faded curtains and clothing restored and made to appear as good as when new. Customers abroad will not have reason to grumble at prices if they send their articles to T. W. Pierre, tailor and dyer, Yates street, opp. Alhambra Hall. Castoff clothing taken in exchange for work. *

The Machine was Worn Out.

Why? Not because it was not well built, but it was wrongly run. Thousands of men who have run down long before their three-score and ten years are accomplished, might have been renewed into sprightliness and vim if they had tried the well-known PERUVIAN SYRUP, which contains among its compounds the Protoxide of Iron, so combined that it assimilates with the blood and invigorates the whole system. This syrup has proved efficacious in thousands of cases, and will do everybody good who uses it. All druggists keep it. *

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanite plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

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* THOS. WILSON & Co.

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Cumberland Young, late of Yates street, Victoria, deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are requested to send in their accounts on or before the 3d day of September, 1878, to

J. B MAYERAU, Administrator.
Or to E. Harrison, Jr., Barrister-at-Law, Victoria.

YALE DISTRICT.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that all the unsurveyed, unreserved, vacant Crown Land included in the undermentioned tracts of land will be open for pre-emption or purchase on and after the 27th day of June next:—

GROUP I.

LOTS 229, 230, 231, 232, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 172, 273, 274, 281, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340.

PORTIONS OF TOWNSHIPS.

S. W. quarter section	24,	Township	100
S.W.	"	36	"	100
W.½S.W	"	23	"	108
E.½S.W.	"	23	"	108
W.½N.W.	"	23	"	108
E.½N.W.	"	23	"	108
S.E.	"	34	"	109
S.W.	"	34	"	109
S.W.	"	35	"	109
S.E.	"	27	"	110
S.W.	"	27	"	110
N.E.	"	3	"	114
N.E.	"	20	"	115
S.E.	"	26	"	115
N.½S.E.	"	28	"	115

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, June 15th, 1878. je18dw

NORTH SAANICH DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC Highway, thirty-three (33)feet in width, is hereby established in South Saanich, commencing at a point where the road from Shoal Harbour Mill intersects the East Saanich Road; thence N. 10 deg. 30 min. E. 1,317 links; thence N. 21 deg. 30 min. E. 199 links; thence N. 21 deg. 30 min. E. 199 links to Shoal Harbor, including 16½ feet on each side thereof.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.
Victoria, June 8th, 1878. je9dw

NOTICE.

YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ALL UNoccupied lands on both sides of the Fraser River for a distance of five miles above the toll-gate at the Town of Yale, and also for a distance of five miles below that point, and for a width of one mile on each side from the centre of the River, are hereby reserved until further notice.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 15th June, 1878. je18dw

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of John Dunstan, late of Esquimalt, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 31st day of August, A. D. 1878, to

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 31st May, 1878. jel 3mdw

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA,

THURSDAY, 30th day of May, 1878.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE HONable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and under the provisions of the Act passed in the session of the Parliament of Canada held in the 31st year of Her Majesty's Reign, chap. 60, and intituled: "An Act for the regulation of Fishing and protection of Fisheries," His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following Salmon Fishery Regulations for the Province of British Columbia be and the same are hereby made and adopted.

1. Drifting with salmon nets shall be confined to tidal waters; and no Salmon net of any kind shall be used for Salmon in fresh waters.
2. Drift nets for Salmon shall not be so fished as to obstruct more than one third the width of any river.
3. Fishing for Salmon shall be discontinued from eight o'clock A. M. on Saturdays to midnight on Sundays.

W. A. HIMSWORTH,
je21 3t Clerk Privy Council.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

YALE DISTRICT

OSOYOOS DIVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands in Osoyoos Division of Yale District have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of C. A. Vernon, Esq., Commissioner, Osoyoos, viz:—

TOWNSHIP No. 35.

Portion of Sections 9, 15, 27 and 30, and Sections 7, 8, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22.

Group 1, Lots 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 105, 148, 149, and 150.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in accordance with the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 22nd June, 1878 e23dw

NOTICE.

In the Goods of Calvin Farr, late of Comox District, Deceased, Intestate.

DEBTORS TO THE ESTATE ARE REQUIRED to pay the amounts due by them forthwith to the undersigned; and creditors of the Estate are requested to send in their claims within one month.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

REWARD.

A REWARD OF TEN DOLLARS ($10) WILL BE paid, on conviction, to any person or persons giving information of certain parties killing game out of season, viz:—Deer, Grouse, Ducks, etc. The above is considered necessary, as a well known POT HUNTER is running Deer continually in defiance of the law.

SPORTSMAN.

N. B.—The above reward will be paid at this office.
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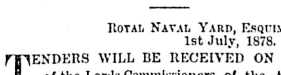

COALS, FLOUR, FRESH BEEF AND MUTTON, VEGETABLES, FIREWOOD, LUMBER, WATER, FRESH BUTTER, MILK, EGGS AND FOWLS.

ROYAL NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT, B.C.
1st July, 1878.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, UNTIL NOON OF THURSDAY THE 1ST AUGUST NEXT, for supplying such quantities of COALS, FLOUR, FRESH BEEF AND MUTTON, VEGETABLES, FIREWOOD, LUMBER AND WATER, as may be required for Navy purposes; likewise FRESH BUTTER, MILK, EGGS AND FOWLS for the Naval Hospital, between the 1st October, 1878, and the 30th September, 1879.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a Tender.

Forms of Tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.

JAMES H. INNES,
je30 Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.

IN THE ESTATE OF W. C. WEBSTER, DECEASED.

ALL DEBTS DUE TO THIS ESTATE NOT PAID before the 20th July will be given to a solicitor for recovery. je28

NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO NOON of the 13th inst., for the erection and completion of a cottage residence at Spring Ridge.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE,
jy3 Architect, Government St.

CADBORO BAY FARM AND MILK RANCH.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INTIMATE THAT in consequence of the improved condition of business he has decided not to dispose of his Farm and Milk Ranch at Cadboro Bay, and will continue to serve customers with Butter and Milk at the usual rates.

je4 1m BENJ. EVANS.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North American Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

ELI HARRISON, Jr., Law Clerk.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my31

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

John Tod, Jr., Plaintiff. James Newsham Pears, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of John Chenhall, of Clinton, an Insolvent.

THE INSOLVENT HAS MADE AN ASSIGNMENT of his Estate to me.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

FISHERIES.

WE INVITE THE FISHERMEN OF BRITISH Columbia to ask their merchant or outfitter for samples and prices for our STANDARD COTTON SEINE NETTING AND NETS; 70 lbs cotton gives as large area of spread as 100 lbs net. Cotton is universally used in the United States, France and England in the fisheries, and it is more economical and durable than hemp.

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my7dw3m Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned, will be received until noon of the 1st July, for the erection of Telegraph Poles between Yale and Cache Creek. Specifications to be seen at the office of the Superintendent, in the Dominion Government building, and at Cache Creek and Yale, every day from 10 till 4.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Bonds required in the sum of $500 for faithful completion of Contract.

B. W. PEARSE, Resdt. Engineer.
Public Works Dept., V., B.C.
13th June, 1878. je14dw

PUBLIC WORKS.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned, will be received till noon of the 15th July for supplying and erecting Telegraph Poles between Cache Creek and Quesnelmouth. Specifications to be seen at the office of the Superintendent, in the Dominion Government building; also, in Clinton, Yale and New Westminster, every day from 10 till 4.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Bonds required in the sum of $1,000 for the faithful completion of the contract.

B. W. PEARSE, Resdt. Engineer.
Public Works Dept., V., B.C.,
13th June, 1878. je14dw

COMOX DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE CASH PURCHASE of the preemption claim of 100 acres, late the property of Calvin Farr, deceased, will be received up to four o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 3d July next, by the undersigned, from whom further particulars may be obtained.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

COWICHAN DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE FOLlowing highway, forty (40) feet in width, is hereby established in Somenos District, viz:

Commencing at the North-East corner of Section two (2), Range three (3); thence running due East along the Section line between Sections two (2) and three (3), Range (4), to the trunk road, and including twenty (20) feet on each side thereof.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, June 22nd, 1877. je22dw

VICTORIA CORPORATION DEBENTURES

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS UNTIL THE 24TH JULY PROX., AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M., FOR THE WHOLE OR PORTION OF THE 20,000 DOLLARS DEBENTURES ISSUED IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF "THE BYLAW TO AUTHORIZE THE RAISING OF TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, 1878."

THESE DEBENTURES BEAR SEVEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM INTEREST, AND THE INTEREST AND SINKING FUND ARE SECURED BY A SPECIAL RATE ON REAL ESTATE, WHICH RATE CANNOT BE ALTERED HEREAFTER.

BY ORDER OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C. M. C.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, June 20, 1878. je21 2p

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL persons holding land within the City Limits upon which Thistles are growing, are hereby notified to have the said Thistles destroyed by the 30th June inst., and in default of so doing the provisions of the "Thistle By-Law, 1870," will be enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Council.
WM. LEIGH, C. M. C.
Victoria, June 6, 1878. je7

NOTICE.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that Lot 448, Group I, New Westminster District, has been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 22nd June, 1878. je22dw

DENTISTRY.

DR. J. CALDER, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist

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RIGHT HAND SIDE OF STAIR CASE, SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.

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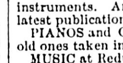

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J. H. TODD, SOLE AGENT FOR B. C.
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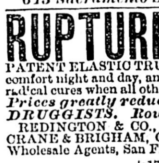

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Daily Colonist.

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THE MUNICIPAL SYSTEM.

An extension of the municipal system to many thickly settled portions of the country would, we think, be found to be beneficial to the residents thereof. At present several of the most important districts of the Province have no community of interest and it is therefore most difficult for a representative in the local legislature to advocate the wants of the entire district with like advantage to every portion thereof. It is true just before the meeting of the House he may mingle amongst his constituents with a view to ascertaining their requirements, and having done he will in several instances find that it is a work of impossibility to harmonize their wants. Now this state of affairs might, to a great extent, be remedied if the most populous portions of the districts alluded to were formed into municipalities. Such a course would place the expenditure of provincial moneys more directly in the hands of the people themselves, would relieve a representative of an unpleasant responsibility in respect to the advocacy of money votes and would place him beyond the possibility of being charged with building a fancy or electioneering road to a friend's door. But in many other respects the residents of the municipalities would find themselves materially benefitted. Under the municipal system they would be enabled to make their own local by-laws, would be permitted to regulate their sanitary condition, and in a variety of ways would enjoy advantages which they cannot at present. The mode in which any locality may become a municipality is simple. All that is required is a petition to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council signed by not less than "two-thirds of the male freeholders, householders, free miners, preemptors and leaseholders for a term of not less than two years, being respectively of the full age of 21 years" expressing a desire that the locality in which they reside may be incorporated. There must be at least 30 male residents, qualified as above, within the locality, and the petition must state the total number of residents entitled to petition, and the proposed name and extent of the municipality. The petition is taken into consideration by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and in due course letters patent issue and the locality becomes a municipality, and from that hour enjoys all municipal rights and privileges. Amongst a long list of matters on which municipalities are entitled to legislate may be mentioned the following:—The raising and expenditure of municipal revenue; saloon and other licenses; drainage works; prevention and removal of nuisances; maintenance of peace officers; preservation of public health; cemeteries; public morals; establishment of public markets; regulation of vehicles; construction of sidewalks, and the relief of the poor. Even in this brief abstract, from a list of forty-five distinct subjects in connection with which a municipality may pass bylaws, it must be apparent that there are several matters that a representative in the local legislature would have great difficulty in dealing with. It therefore seems that the residents of thickly populated localities would be availing themselves of many advantages were they to petition the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to issue letters of incorporation. We are sure that the several representatives in the House would be glad to be relieved of a responsibility which cannot be thoroughly and satisfactorily assumed, and we are confident that petitioners would live to see the wisdom of extending the municipal system.

GRAVE CHARGES AGAINST AN EX-U. S. CABINET OFFICER.

The charges upon which ex-Secretary Robeson, of the United States Naval Department, and three of his chief assistants are to be indicted are of a very serious nature. Blunders so gross as to partake more of the nature of crimes, and almost without number, are laid to their charge. During Robeson's administration $230,000,000 have been spent on the navy, and for this vast sum there is almost nothing to show. Contracts involving the expenditure of millions of dollars were entered into without any security being demanded or other safeguard being required; materials and stores were purchased, sold, and bartered away without the least necessity; vessels worth $26,000,000 were sold without being properly advertised for $1,000,000; and, generally, the Department was found to be honeycombed with corruption and speculation. It is not supposed that anything but carelessness, inefficiency, and disregard of legal requirements will be brought home to Mr. Robeson, but some of his subordinates need not expect to be let off so lightly.

THE POPULATION OF THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

After all, there is hope that the native population of the Sandwich Islands will not wholly become extinct. The impression prevailed, a few years ago, that the population of those Islands was gradually diminishing, and that it would at no distant day become extinct—and the facts certainly supported this apprehension. In the years 1868 and 1869, the deaths were 6,879, and the births 4,267—the deaths exceeding the births by 2,612, or more than 60 per cent.; and it is evident that if this excess were to continue, the Islands must become destitute of inhabitants. During the ten years from 1868 to 1877, the total deaths were 30,919, and the total births 22,907, showing a decrease in the population of 8,012. But about the year 1868 new sanitary laws were introduced and rigorously enforced, and the result has been a steady diminution of the excess of deaths over births. Thus, for the two years 1870 and 1871, this excess was 48 per cent.; for the next two years it was 29 per cent., and for the two years ending with 1877 it was 7 per cent. It is hoped that the report for the ten years ending with 1879 will show that the excess of deaths over births has been overcome, and a rate of increase in the population established. The population of the Islands in 1868 was about 70,000, and nearly one-half were dying every ten years.

THE ISLAND OF CYPRUS.

The telegraph announces the departure of Sir Garnet Wolsey with troops for the Island of Cyprus, which has been ceded by Turkey to Great Britain. The island will be at once garrisoned and fortified, and will form another link in the chain of Britain's waterway defences to and from India, and may be regarded as an additional point of protection for the Suez Canal. It lies little more than 200 miles from the Mediterranean entrance of the Suez Canal, and its advantages as a naval rendezvous for a fleet protecting the navigation of the canal are obvious. According to the last estimate, the population of the island was 200,000, of whom two-thirds were Greeks and the rest Moslems. Under the Venetians it had a population of 1,000,000.

A Backwoodsman in the City.

MR. EDITOR:—Here I am in the city. And this is what they call civilization! Ninety saloons and one hundred and fifty bar-tenders to supply one thousand men with beer and whiskey! and two hundred of the thousand are Indians and Chinese! It won't pay. I turned a corner and saw two men on the sidewalk outside the *Standard* office crushing each other to get a peep at the newspaper; and there they remained for twenty-six minutes. When they were gone I took a peep at the paper myself and there was the usual supply of—nothing at all. But it is quite possible these men were amused by the history of wonderful cures performed by quacks, and paraded for a small fee by the modern schoolmaster.

BREAKFAST.

At half-past seven o'clock I walked into a—what is it called?—a restorer, and ordered for breakfast a good beefsteak, potatoes, and water. In ten minutes there was on the table a piece of beef the size of a half-dollar, mush, beans, potatoes (boiled and fried), two little fish (done brown), tomatoes, beet, and several other things, too numerous to mention. "See here, my man," said I, to the waiter, "I want a beefsteak." "There it is," said he, pointing to the half-ounce of beef in the middle of the thirteen dishes I did not want. I ate that bit and called for another, and a glass of water. "Oh," said the man, "the water would kill you; it cost the city two hundred thousand dollars; no one can drink it, but it makes good tea. Take a cup of tea, sir?" I took my hat, paid half-a-dollar, and walked out. I called at several houses, and in all the water was—mud.

It was not necessary that I should leave my charming wilderness to see a city. The spider weaves cities in the grass, and the spider is full of human nature. It is amusing to see him at the door of his house in the city on the grass, looking disappointed when a fly passes by his trap and falls into another better placed on the corner. I saw the very same expression to-day in the attitude of a man, and it occurred to me that the history of spiders and flies, if properly written, would look very like the history of men. I shall return to the backwoods without delay. It is not safe to live in a city where the water is mud and the sidewalks traps. But, the eloquence! Oh, I forgot the eloquence. I want to hear the great men. I suppose they will do something to prove they deserve the confidence of the people. The House meets some day this month. Let us have patience, and learn the art of meriting popular applause. I am,

A BACKWOODSMAN.

Dessicated Music.

ESQUIMALT, July 11th, 1878.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Allow me a little space in your valuable paper to suggest to the music-loving portion of Victoria who feel so much pleasure in listening to the sweet sounds discoursed by the band of H. M. S. Shah at the Government Buildings on Wednesday afternoons that blowing on an instrument for two or three hours has a great tendency to give a peculiarly dry sensation to the throat, which might easily and successfully be alleviated by giving them a little water or beer on the grounds (the latter, no doubt, would be the best). Hoping some kind individual will take this in hand, as I believe it is the spirit and not the will that is lacking, I remain, HARMONY.

DAMASCUS has been ruined by the opening of the Suez Canal. The overland trade, both Oriental and European, by caravan with Bagdad and the Persian Gulf has been diverted by the waterway. The competition of India and China in silk and sesame seed through the canal has sensibly affected the value of these products, the late discovery of alazarine has rendered valueless the cultivation of madder for export; and the diversion of large numbers of Moslem pilgrims from all parts of the East, who had hither made Damascus their point of arrival and departure, with much profit to the city, to the sea route by the canal, has contributed in no small degree to its downward progress. House rent has declined 30 and 50 per cent., and large numbers of empty houses and shops in every part of the city indicate the general decline. The streets are filled with beggars, both Moslem and Christian, and that, too, in a city where eighteen months ago a beggar was a rarity. The more elevated districts of Lebanon, which formerly contributed the principal portion of mendicants during winter months, have this year sent double the number to swell the amount of local indigence. The far-famed Eye of the East is now dull and lustreless.

THERE has been a remarkable case of constancy in England; a man who separated from his wife thirty-five years ago has returned and offered to "kiss and give up." A few days prior to the offer the wife had inherited a large estate.—*Boston Transcript.*

Our extra-strong-minded woman has remarked that an old bachelor is a man who, through selfish motives, has refrained from making some woman wretched.—*Rochester Union.*

THE COMMONS.—Mr. Wm. Dalby will be a candidate for the Commons in Victoria District. *

Canadian Mail.

[Per Steamer Sir James Douglas.]

WINNIPEG, Man., June 27.—C. P. B. Brown's grist and saw mill at Palestine has been burned.

Notwithstanding the opening of the land office at Belmont, 40,000 acres of Dominion lands have already been recorded at Emerson this month.

TORONTO, June 28.—A Detroit despatch states the Chicago and North-Eastern railway, running from Flint to Lansing, Michigan, was taken possession of yesterday by its owners, it is reported in the Vanderbilt interest, and rolling stock from the Michigan Central put on its track. Traffic is suspended, which cuts off the through connection with Chicago of the Grand Trunk railway.

ST. JOHN, N.B., June 27.—The *News* to-day, in summing up the result of the elections, gives 13 Government supporters, 24 Opposition, and 4 Independent.

The Methodist Conference for New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island commenced its annual session at Sackville to-day. Rev. J. Hartt was elected President.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 27.—The brig Confederate, run down on Sunday last in the Bay of Fundy by the barque Antwerp, was fallen in with on Tuesday by the brigantine Minnehaha, from St. John, which took off William Willett, of Annapolis, previously reported as drowned, and landed him at Weymouth, Digby county, last evening. Willett says the Confederate was cut in the bow, and went down head first. The cargo of coal ran out when she came to the surface. Willett was washed overboard, but being some time in the water he succeeded in getting on board of her again. She continued drifting until the anchors brought her up off Salmon River, where the collision occurred. Captain Grant, of the Confederate, attempted to jump on board the barque Antwerp, but missed and fell into the water.

At the Harvard University yesterday Earl Dufferin was made an L.L.D.

MONTREAL, June 27.—On Monday, in the Superior Court, at St. Scholastique, Judge Belanger gave judgment in a charge made by the Indians that the plaintiffs had forged the signature of the Deputy Prothonotary Lepage to the certificates or certain papers which had been filed in the suit of the Seminary in 1875, to recover possession of the Protestant church lot, their title to which had been called in question. His Honor maintained the charges, declared the signature of the Deputy Prothonotary to have been a forgery, and rejected the papers from the record. It was under the judgment given in this suit that the Seminary professed to be acting when they pulled down the church.

Diphtheria has been very fatal at Welsford, N.B., in the last three weeks. J. McDonald lost two sons, W. H. Weldon two sons and a daughter, and Wm. McBeth four sons.

TORONTO, June 27.—The Canadian Wimbledon team arrived at Altcar on Monday, and are now practising at Altcar. Some extraordinary scores have been made, notably by Sergeant Pallen, of the Chatham, N. B., Garrison Artillery, who made 94 at three ranges, the highest score heretofore made under similar conditions being 96.

The Political Situation in the United States.

(From the Nation.)

It now begins to be seen pretty clearly that everything is going to turn on the election of the new House this fall. In the present House the Democrats have a majority of only a dozen or so, and though the Senate after March 4, 1879, is certain to be Democratic for the first time since the South seceded, this is the effect of old victories, while in the most recent popular elections (those in which the present House was elected) the Democrats lost heavily. This looked like a turn in the tide, and if it continued to flow it would give the Republicans the lower House this fall. But the question is, Is it flowing or ebbing? There is certainly no reason to look to the South, for there the few seats the Republicans hold (some half dozen) must be lost this autumn. The loss of these seats makes the Democratic majority to be overcome between twenty and thirty, and the means of overcoming it must be provided by Northern or Western States. On this account the shrewder politicians have been looking to the result of the Oregon election with mingled dread and hope. If it had gone Republican, the result would have been regarded as the first ripple of a "tidal wave" which might be expected to sweep over the North and West in the fall. But it is gone Democratic, or to adopt the metaphorical language appropriate to subjects of this kind, the "first gun" of the campaign has not only missed fire, but has exploded at the same time, scattering destruction among the ranks of the hard pressed Republican garrison. The loss of Oregon in 1880 is, of course, a severe blow. From Missouri and Ohio, both of which States have been redistricted, the Democrats expect, apparently with reason, to get increased strength, so that the question of Republican control of the House narrows itself down to the problem of securing at least twenty-five seats next fall. It is evident at a glance that this will be difficult to accomplish, and an appreciation of the difficulty is at the bottom of much of the present Democratic confidence as to the future. According to the Democratic view, these twenty-five seats are not likely to be obtained in any case, how they are to be secured with an Investigating Committee at work publishing campaign documents like the Anderson confession from month to month?

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SHAVING	15 Cents
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SHAMPOOING	25 Cents
BATHS	25 Cents

AN ASSORTMENT OF HAIR OILS, PERFUMERY, ETC., CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
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(LIMITED)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT PRIOR TO the Incorporation of the Company certain owners of interests, or fractional parts of an interest, became indebted to the Company for Assessments on their respective interests, or fractional parts of an interest.

The following persons are so indebted to the Company:—

Peter Brown	$46 87
George Byrnes	28 12
S. J. Pitts	4 75
Joe. Heywood	36 00
D. Kurtz	2 62
W. H. G. Thompson	40 00
H. E. Croasdaile	6 25
F. S. Barnard	18 50
M. O'Connor	8 00

Now, unless this liability be discharged within Thirty (30) days from the date of this advertisement, proceedings will be taken for the recovery of the amount, under the Act governing the Company before Incorporation.

The attention of persons holding unrecorded Bills of Sale of interests, or fractions of an interest, in the Company is respectfully directed to Clause 7, Gold Mining Amendment Act, A. D. 1872.

By order of the Trustees.
jy12 CHARLES WILSON, Secty.

A CHALLENGE.

THE CREW OF H.M.S. OPAL WHO ROWED IN the whaleboat race on the 24th of May, are prepared to pull against one or more boat's crews from any or all of Her Majesty's Ships, for money or pleasure. Communications may be sent to the Clubroom, Esquimalt. jy12tf

DRY GOODS AUCTION
TO-MORROW NIGHT,
Saturday, 13th July, 1878,
AT HALF-PAST SEVEN O'CLOCK,

The undersigned will sell at
ALBION HOUSE, GOVERNMENT STREET,

Dress Goods, Sheetings all widths, Flannels, Blankets, Tweeds, Shawls, Skirts, Men's Underclothing, White Dress Shirts, Baltic Shirts, Socks, Counterpanes, Towels, Tablecloths, &c., &c.

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We call particular attention to the facilities of our Cattle Sale Yard, centrally located on Fort Street. The best accommodations can be found for every class of Stock that may be offered for sale. This establishment is unsurpassed on the Pacific Coast.

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Have received instructions to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
— AT THE —
NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT,
ON BEHALF OF THE
LORDS COMMISSIONERS OF THE ADMIRALTY
Friday, July 19th, 1878.
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,
The undermentioned
CONDEMNED STORES
Damaged on Voyage of Importation,
EX BARQUE "PRINCESS ROYAL,"
CAPT. ANDERSON, MASTER, FROM LONDON.

B. 133, 77—1 bale 198 Towels.
D. 365, 367, 371—3 bales, each 74 yards No. 1 Blue Navy Cloth.
A. 268, 269, 270—3 bales, each 74 yards No. 2 Blue Navy Cloth.
A. 719, 723, 728, 733, 734, 736, 738, 740, 741, 742—10 bales, each 300 yards Navy Duck.
B. 2, 7—2 bales, 300 yards each Navy Duck.
D. 755, 756, 760, 763, 765, 990, 994, 995, 8 bales each 210 yards White Flannel
C. 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 526, 527, 528, 529, 532, 535, 536, 537, 539, 544, 546, 547, 549—18 bales, each 160 yards Navy Blue Serge.
B. 867, 871, 878, 881, 886, 890, 891, 895, 902—Nine bales each 160 yards Navy Blue Serge.
A. 741—1 bale 86 yards Navy Blue Serge.
C. 387, 390, 392, 542—Four bales each 60 yards Blue Jean.
A. 946—1 bale, 150 yards White Cotton Drill.
A. 272, 273, 274—Three bales 36½ yards each Blue Flushing.
A. 22—1 bale 100 R.M.L.I. Forage Caps
A. 292—1 bale 25 pr. White Blankets.
A. 128, 129, 130—3 bales each 25 pairs White Blankets "marked."
C. 141, 142—2 bales each 50 Bed Covers.
A. 76—1 bale 49 Bed Covers "marked."
5 bales each 5 Hair Beds "marked."
8 do do not "marked."
A. 4—one bale, 96 pair Woollen Mitts. One case, 91 lbs soap. 86 lbs, 24 to the lb, Candles. 1 cask, 206 lbs Split Peas. 3 cans, 232 lbs Chocolate.

ALSO AT SAME TIME.

73 Biscuit Bags; 300 lbs Cook's Fat; 84 lbs Biscuit Dust; 9 yds Duck; 17 yds Blue Serge; 15 yds Flannel; 7 Beds; 7 Blankets; 7 Bed Covers; 86 Wrappers.

TERMS CASH.

☞In addition to the prices paid at auction for the goods, the purchasers will have to pay the Government duties on the same to the Auctioneers prior to delivery of the bills.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EDGAR MARVIN,
AGENT FOR
THE CHAMPION MOWER AND REAPERS,
WALTER WOODS' IRON MOWERS,
HOLLINGWORTH'S SULKY RAKES.
ALSO FOR SALE
BUCKEYE MOWERS, CLIPPER MOWERS, BARNES' HORSE HAY RAKES
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.
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C. STROUSS,
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

The Stock of STROUSS, BRIGGS, KURTZ & CO. having been purchased by me, I will continue the business as heretofore, and

SELL AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

By recent arrivals per Steamers and ship "Princess Royal," from London,

THE STOCK HAS BEEN REPLENISHED WITH
COMPLETE LINES OF NEW GOODS

Which I will offer to the TRADE on the MOST FAVORABLE TERMS.

VICTORIA, July 10th, 1878. **C. STROUSS.** jy11 1m

JUST RECEIVED.
ONE CASE
BLACK CASHMERE!
C. STROUSS.
July 10th, 1878. jy11

JUST RECEIVED.
6, 8, 9 AND 10-4
SHEETINGS!
C. STROUSS.
July 10th, 1878. jy11

RECEIVED PER PRINCESS ROYAL
And other Recent Arrivals.

GROCERIES.

TEA—Congou, Japan and U. S. SUGAR—San Francisco Refined, Peruvian and China. RAISINS—Muscatels and Sultanas, Currants, Candied Peel, Price's Candles Taylor's Cocoa and Cocoa Nibs, Coleman's Mustard, Robinson's Oatmeal, Jams, Jellies and Marmalade, Spices Ground and Whole, Vinegar in casks and cases.

OILMAN'S STORES.

PICKLES (Crosse & Blackwell's and Copland's), Assorted Sauces, Salad Oil, Castor Oil, Capers, Curry Powder, Olives, Ultarmarine Blue, Coleman & Glenfield's Starch, Albert's Sardines, halves and quarters.

LIQUORS.

GIN—Swaine Boord & Co.'s Old Tom.
BRANDY—Martineau and Martell, in quarter cask and case.
WHISKY—Irish, Erin go Bragh.
WHISKY—Scotch, Rob Roy and Campbleton, in octaves, quarter cask and case.
WHISKY—Canadian, Bourbon, Rye and Malt, in bulk and case.
ALCOHOL and PURE SPIRITS.

AND A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
FOR SALE BY
RICHARD CARR,
jy3 2p **WHARF STREET.**

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD
OFFER FOR SALE TO THE TRADE
EX PRINCESS ROYAL AND OTHER ARRIVALS,

BASS & CO.'S INDIA PALE ALE (Griffin Brand).
GUINNESS' EXTRA STOUT.
CHAMPAGNE, H. Piper & Co. Carte Blanche Sec.
BURGUNDY, Guichard Potheret et Fils, Sautnay, Givry, Mercure.
SHERRY, DUFF GORDON. PORT, In Octaves and qtr. casks.
BRANDY, Hennessy and Martell.
BOURBON WHISKEY, (Jesse Moore & Co.'s) in 20-gallon casks.
GIN, J. D. K. Z., red case.

VINEGAR—GLEE SLEE & CO.'S, IN CASKS,
NORWEGIAN CONDENSED MILK, PRIZE MEDAL "BEAR" BRAND,
SARDINES, HALVES AND QUARTERS.
CIGARS—Havana, Grenadier Guards, Tica de Bolton, Flor de San Juan and other Choice Brands.

Curtiss' & Harvey's Blasting and Sporting Powder.

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THE BEST SOAP MADE IN THE COUNTRY, equal to any made in England or America, and
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The attention of Housekeepers, Laundrymen, and Families especially solicited, as ONE TRIAL will prove its excellence and economy.
SECOND QUALITY FIVE CENTS PER POUND.
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VICTORIA, B. C.
PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR PUBLIC and private buildings can be seen at his office.
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INSURES MERCHANDISE, TREASURE, &c., UNder the conditions of English Policies.
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GRAND RAFFLE
AT THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL, MONDAY, July 15th, 1878, for the
BEAUTIFUL MARE "NELLIE,"
FULLY EQUIPPED. 150 CHANCES, $1 EACH.
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WANTED
BY A YOUNG MAN A SITUATION IN AN OFfice. Respectability guaranteed. Address "C. F. C.," Victoria Postoffice. jy11

WANTED TO PURCHASE
A LOT WITH A COTTAGE ON IT, WITHIN ten minutes' walk of the Post Office. Address "CASH," COLONIST Office. jy9

WANTED.
AN APPRENTICE TO LEARN DRESSMAKING. View street, above Douglas.
je18 MISS E. GEORGE.

WANTED
AN APPRENTICE TO LEARN DRESSMAKING At
je22 MRS. JAMIESON'S.

WANTED,
IN A FAMILY WHERE THERE ARE THREE Children, a woman to cook, assist with the children and to do general housework. Liberal wages will be paid to a suitable person. Apply at THE COLONIST Office. je30

POLITICAL.

MR. A. C. ELLIOTT
WILL BE A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT VICTORIA DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE ENSUING GENERAL ELECTION. jy12

ELECTORS!
RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.

I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:

1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.
2. The erection of a Drydock at once as being, like the Railway, not only a Provincial but also a national necessity.
3. The importation free of duty of all material required for the rigging and fitting of ships that cannot be procured in this Province.
4. A just and equitable adjustment of both Export and Import Dues from a reciprocal point of view, which would benefit largely the Commercial, Mining, Agricultural and Lumbering interests of the Districts as well as of the whole Province.
5. I would also strive to secure a new Postoffice for the thriving city of Nanaimo, and failing in that, some improvement at least upon the shameful neglect of its present postal facilities.

Other local and provincial wants which may call for legislative redress shall receive, if I am elected, my serious attention and warmest support.

I shall take an early opportunity of holding public meetings in the various sections of your wide and extensive district (of which due notice will be given) at which I shall, as also in private intercourse, fully explain the course I intend to pursue, and hope as the result of that to receive your generous support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. J. McLELLAN.
Nanaimo, June 14th, 1878. je30dw

To the Electors of the District of Victoria, V. I.

GENTLEMEN: In coming before you as a candidate for the honor of being one of your representatives in the House of Commons in the next Parliament of Canada, I desire as briefly as possible to state my views on the main political issues of the day.

To my mind the Railway question in importance to the whole Province overshadows all others, and next to the Railway in importance to Victoria District is the colstruction at Esquimalt of a first-class Graving Dock. If elected, I shall most strenuously assist in demanding from the Dominion Government the just rights of this Province in connection with these two vital questions. I shall expect no impossibilities; but I shall demand from the Canadian Government an earnest commencement and faithful prosecution in this Province of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Nothing short of this will fulfil the solemn treaty obligations of Canada to British Columbia. So far we have had plenty of promises from Canada, which, alas! to her shame and disgrace have been broken; and sooner than submit to be humbugged in the future as we have been in the past I would sever the cord that binds us to the Confederation. I sincerely hope, however, the day will never come when this or any other Province in the Dominion will be forced for self protection to adopt so high-handed a remedy. In reference to the two political parties in Canada I believe the policy of the Liberal Conservative party best calculated to advance the true interest of our country, and to make it in deed, as well as in word, a great and prosperous Dominion. I further believe that in Sir John Macdonald, the Hon. L. H. Langevin and the Hon. S. L. Tilley we have true friends—men who have the heart and ability to carry out the liberal and advanced plans of the deeply lamented statesman Sir Geo. Cartier, whose rallying cry was, "All aboard for the West!" If elected, it shall be my pleasure to give that party a hearty support, providing they extend to this Province what is fair, right and just. I consider our first duty is to ourselves as British Columbians, and that if we are united and true to our own interests and act as one man in demanding simple justice we shall prevail. I shall aim to harmonize our own contending sectional elements, so as to make our power as a Province felt, always remembering that "united we stand, divided we fall.

If the foregoing views meet with your approval, and you think I have sufficient independence of character to carry them out, I respectfully ask your support.

I am, your obedient servant,
J. H. TODD.
Victoria, V. I., June 4, 1878. je6dw

MR. J. P. DAVIES
Will be a Candidate to represent Victoria District in the Dominion House of Commons at the coming Election.
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COMING TO VICTORIA
WILL ARRIVE JULY 5TH.
THE CORPS OF SURGEONS
— FROM THE —
NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE,
Provided with a COMPLETE APPARATUS for the Treatment of
Every Human Deformity,
Will visit Victoria on the above date.

SPINAL CURVATURE,
HIP AND KNEE JOINT DISEASES,
CLUB FEET, PARALYSIS,
PILES AND FISTULA,
ARE TREATED SUCCESSFULLY!
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Daily Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 12TH, 1878.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 11—Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Slp Mist, Crescent Bay

CLEARED.

July 11—Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Slp Mist, Crescent Bay

PORT OF PORT TOWNSEND, W. T.

ENTERED.

July 3—Str City of Panama, Victoria
Bk Buena Vista, Honolulu
4—Str Dispatch, New Westminster
Str Sir James Douglas, Victoria
Bk Cassandra Adams, San Francisco
6—Bktn Jos Perkins, Honolulu
8—Str Olympia, San Francisco

CLEARED.

July 4—Str City of Panama, Nanaimo
5—Brig Sea Waif, Sandwich Islands
8—Str Olympia, Victoria

SEATTLE, W. T.

IN PORT—Ships Fortuna and Ravenna Padra, barkentine Amelia and schooners Reporter and D. S. Williams, loading lumber, and the ships War Hawk and Eldorado, barks Harvest Home, Enoch Talbot, Lizzie Williams, J. B. Bell and Aureola.

PORT BLAKELY. W. T.

IN PORT—Ship Otago, barks Martha Rideout, Lizzie Marshall and Nouveau Nomade, barkentine R. K. Ham, brig Tanner and schooners Alice and Hueneme.

PORT CAMBLE, W. T.

IN PORT—Ships D. Hoadley and Sagamore, barks Buena Vista, Atalanta, Roswell Sprague and Fresno, barkentines Catherine Sudden and Joseph Perkins, and schooners Compeer and American Girl. Due—Rainier and James Cheston.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

Dakota's Passenger List.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—P. Milne, R. Hammerly, A. N. Shellabarger and wife, Miss A Kerne, M. Waring, T. Winderson, Miss Lewis, Miss Sophie Lance, Miss Laura Bloomington, J. M. Harper, J. H. Gray, H. M. Marton, C. L. Queen, N. Peters, John Patterson, W. Johnston, Wm. McNeil, Gilbert Wall, Thad Best, W. G. Fraser, wife, child and infant, J. Gleeson Johnson, D. Creighton, Mrs. T. Work and daughter, Thos. Davies, John Phillips, and 9 Chinamen. For Port Townsend—Mrs. Kostin. For Seattle—Judge Jacobs and wife, John M. Presburg, A. Erickson, H. Jacobs, Miss Keeven, James Smith, Miss Nellie Hendricks, Chas. A. Wright, wife and two children, J. F. McNaught and wife, J. McDonald, E. Gifford, P. Gifford and wife, Miss B. Gifford, Miss Ella E. Stinson, Mrs. M. E. Jakins, M. R. Maddocks, B. Fried, T. Small, Geo. McKay, Dave Mastsook, Jas. Fairbain, E. Broka, John Cady, Mrs. Mary Stevenson. For Tacoma—Chas. Peterson, M. M. Moore. For Olympia—C. K. Talcott, Jas. Clifford, John McGinnes, A. McLeod, Geo. Farland.

San Francisco Produce Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.

Flour—Quiet; superfine 4¼, extra do. 4¾ @ 5; baker's and family extra 5¼ @ 5½; Oregon extra 4.75 @ 5.

Wheat—Scarce and firm; no sales; quotations nominal.

Barley—Steady sales at 85 @ 87½c.

Oats—Held firmly, but very little demand; feed 1.25 @ 1.47½.

Corn—Sale of Cala. large yellow at 2.

Rye—Nominal.

Hay—Steady at 7 @ 14.

Potatoes—Steady at 1.75 @ 2¼.

Wool—Demand fair; prices unchanged.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Turquoise, Captain George Robinson, is shortly expected to arrive at Esquimalt. The Turquoise is a corvette carrying 12 guns, is 1864 tons burthen, 1990 (350) horse power. The following is a list of her officers: Captain, George Robinson; Lieutenants, C. T. Turner, H. N. Dudding, G. R. H. Deacon, J. Griffin; Navigating Lieutenant, George D. Lee; Chaplain and Navigating Instructor, Rev. Douglas J. Boutflower, M.A.; Staff Surgeon, J. Hanbury; Paymaster, H. T. Read; Chief Engineer, J. Pearse; Sub Lieutenant, J. A. Cowan; Surgeon, P. K. Cree; Assistant Paymaster, W. S. Watson; Engineer, W. H. Davis; Gunner, G. B. Bennett; Boatswain, J. Sandercock; Carpenter, A. Allen; Midshipmen, H. L. Tottenham and C. W. Fowler; Assistant Engineer, J. R. D. Graham. H. M. S. Osprey may also be expected to arrive here from the South shortly.

EXCURSION TRIP.—The steamer Leonora will leave the Hudson Bay Company's wharf at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon for Esquimalt wharf, Parson's Bridge, and the Four-Mile House, returning at 7 p. m. The trip will afford a splendid view of the fleet at anchor in Esquimalt harbor, and will give those who choose to remain at Esquimalt several hours' whiting fishing, as the steamer will pick those passengers up on the homestretch. The fare for the round trip has been fixed at $1.

INCORRECT. — The statement in the *Standard* yesterday with reference to the contract for repairing the Mainland telegraph line from Cache Creek to Yale is altogether incorrect. At the proper time due notice will be given of the award, etc.

RUMORED DEATH OF AN OLD VICTORIAN. It is rumored that Frank Laumeister, long a resident of Victoria, was recently drowned in San Francisco Bay by falling from a ferry-boat. Several of Mr. Laumeister's children reside in the Province.

POLICE COURT.—The three Chinamen charged, under the nuisance by-law, with neglecting to abate a nuisance after due notice had been served on them, were yesterday remanded at request of counsel till 2.30 p.m. to-day.

FOR SHANGHAI.—The bark Katie Flickinger arrived in Royal Roads yesterday. She is laden with a cargo of lumber from the Hastings saw mill, Burrard Inlet, and is bound for Shanghai.

COAL.—Australian and English steam coals are selling in San Francisco for $7.75 and $6 per ton. Seattle and Coos Bay for $5.50 and $6, and Mount Diablo for $4.50, $5 and $5.50. Coals were never cheaper there than now.

AMONGST the passengers on the steamship Dakota is Mr. J. M. Harper, brother of the Government Mining Engineer. Mr. Harper is said to be on his way to Cariboo to engage in quartz mining there.

GOVERNOR TILLEY has consented to stand for the Dominion Parliament in St. Johns, N.B.

The Water Supply.

Elk Lake water, as it comes from the pipes, emits a very unpleasant smell. It is little, if any, better than old Spring Ridge water, which was always regarded as "rotten," and as the water now supplied contains small fish, ugly bugs, and decayed vegetable matter, it is both disgusting and unhealthy. Consumers will be glad to know that the City Council have taken the state of the water into serious consideration, and are about to visit Elk Lake *en masse*. It is hoped that whilst at the lake none of the Councillors will be so indiscreet as to partake of the beverage, lest the city should be deprived of his invaluable services and the expense of a new election for one of the wards should have to be borne. In glancing over the files we find that Mr. H. O. Teideman was deputed, as far back as 1863, to visit the lakes in the vicinity of Victoria City and report on their adaptability for supplying water to Victoria. He reported favorably on Elk Lake, but condemned Beaver Lake in the following unequivocal language:

"About one mile from Elk Lake the channel has been transformed into a rocky basin, by the agency of beavers, to a small lake (called Beaver Lake) which is now surrounded by heavy swamps, thickly overgrown with reed grass and bushes. * * * In the summer season the water of Elk Lake falls two feet and more, so that there is no discharge of any consequence of water to the said Beaver Lake, which is nothing else than the residue of the winter and spring waters, greatly reduced by escape and evaporation, so that the remnant of water is very stagnant and full of organic matter, which makes that water, without prior filtration, unhealthy and unfit for public use."

It will scarcely be credited that in the face of that report the dam and filters were built *below* instead of above Beaver Lake, so that the purer element from Elk Lake, on its way to the City, mixes with and is contaminated by the "organic matter" which the former contains and is thereby rendered "unhealthy and unfit for public use." Mr. Teideman's warning—which proves to have been prophetic—written 15 years ago, should have been heeded. From Wednesday night's discussion we gather that an attempt will be made to remedy the present evil by extending the main supply pipes to Elk Lake, and thus avoid contamination by Beaver Lake entirely. The sooner the better.

The Pan-Anglican Synod.

LONDON, July 2.—The Pan-Anglican Synod convened to-day at Lambeth Palace. Ninety Bishops were present. The Archbishop of Canterbury presided. He urged the question of maintaining faith against infidelity to be the principal subject of thought of the delegates. Debate on the best mode of obtaining union among the various Anglican churches followed. The Bishops of Pittsburgh and Louisiana, and several English and colonial Bishops spoke. The matter was finally referred to a Committee.

Brockville Boat Races.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., July 1.—Following is the result of the boat race: Hanlan, first by twelve lengths; Plaisted, second; Kennedy, third; Riley, fourth; Teneycke, fifth; Elliot, sixth; Luther, seventh; McKean, upset. Time, 33 minutes.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., July 2.—The Consolation race between scullers who took no prize yesterday was rowed this evening, course, three miles, with a turn; Reilley, Teneycke, McKenzie and Elliot took part. The race was won by Reilley; McKenzie second. Time, 22½ minutes.

CHANGE IN RATES OF POSTAGE. — The United States and the Colony of Victoia, Australia have arranged a Postal Convention which took effect from July 1st, 1878. The exchange of correspondence is to be made by means of the Australian line of steamers. The rates of postage are to be the same as those on mail matter to New Zealand, New South Wales, etc., viz: on all letters from the United States, twelve cents per half-ounce or fraction thereof; on newspapers, two cents each; on other printed matter, patterns and samples of merchandise, 4 cents for each 4 ounces or fraction thereof. The prepayment of postage is compulsory. Letters may be registered upon the payment of a fee of ten cents in addition to the postage. The designated offices of exchange are San Francisco on the side of the United States, and Melbourne on the side of Victoria.

VICTORIA ARTILLERY. — A letter has been received from Ottawa stating that the artillery will be uniformed with a tunic of the best description, and not the blouse as furnished to other batteries. The uniforms are now on the way out from England.

NARROW GAUGE RAILWAY. — A project for the construction of a narrow-gauge railway from Sumass, B. C., to Bellingham Bay, W. T., is said to be taking shape. The road would connect with a similar road to Seattle, W. T.

$2,000—For Sale, a Steady and Established business; stock and fixtures value about $2,000;—one-half down; time on balance. Inquire at THE COLONIST Office. *1m

FRASER DYKING. — Mr. I. A. Navarre, supervisor of the Fraser River dyking operations, goes to Matsqui to-day. Mr. B. L. Derby, contractor, has gone to San Francisco to procure additional machinery for the works.

SERIOUSLY ILL.—Mr. Thomas, proprietor of the Coach and Horses Inn, Esquimalt Road, is reported to be lying dangerously ill from the effects of severe injuries sustained when thrown from a horse a few days since.

THE Orangemen of Canada will hold their annual parade in Montreal to-day. Precautions have been taken by the authorities against the possibility of a disturbance similar to that of last year.

FOR PORT TOWNSEND.—The steamer Isabel will leave at six o'clock this morning for Port Townsend, returning in the afternoon with Wells, Fargo & Co's express, freight and passengers.

THE steamer Sir James Douglas arrived at 6 p.m. last evening from Port Townsend with eight bags of mail and a few passengers.

CONDEMNED STORES.—Messrs. J. P. Davies & Co. will hold an extensive sale of condemned stores at the Naval Yard, Esquimalt, on the 19th inst.

ORANGE PICNIC.—A picnic of Orangemen will be held at Brethour Point, North Saanich, to-day.

PROF. PHILLIPS will leave for California on Monday next.

Washington Territory.

[Intelligencer.]

Thomas W. Duvall, eldest son of Frank Duvall, farmer in King county, was killed by the premature fall of a tree he was cutting down. When found he held his ax grasped by the handle with both hands, showing that he had jumped from the chopping board just at the time the butt of the tree left the stump, and was caught instantly before he could avoid the danger. The body was horribly crushed and mangled, some parts being found ten feet from the body. The corpse was brought to this city for burial.

Richard Arnold, aged 41, a native of England, died suddenly at Port Madison farm on Monday, from the bursting of a blood vessel.

There is a rumor current that the Indians have killed Gen. Howard.

Port Madison was flooded on Monday by the bursting of the large tank on the hill. Several fences were broken, sidewalks torn up and other damage done.

[Port Townsend Argus.]

Chas. Eisenbeis was elected Mayor by acclamation, Messrs. Bartlett, Tibbals, Hill, James, Rothschild, Delgardno and Newton, Councillors.

[Tribune.]

Six hundred and fifty tons of coal are now brought to the wharf daily from the mines.

The tug Donald, now on the Sound, is going to San Francisco to run as an opposition tow boat.

Swinomish district deplores a partial failure of crops from drought.

At the city election all the candidates upon the people's ticket were elected by majorities ranging from thirty to nearly a hundred votes. The successful candidates are as follows: For Mayor, Beriah Brown; for Councilmen in the first ward, Benj. Murphy and Thos. Clancy; second ward, S. Baxter, A. S. Miller and R. Abrams; third ward, A. A. Denny, (on both tickets) and Andrew Chilberg; and E. A. Thorndike, City Marshal. The total vote cast was 416.

Olympia will be connected with the Northern Pacific railroad within a month or six weeks.

[Dispatch.]

It is rumored that the steamer Olympia, in addition to carrying the Canadian mail between Victoria and Port Townsend twice a week, and continuing her trips through to Olympia, each time as an opposition boat to the Starr line, has also been chartered by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company to carry all their passengers and freight upon arrival of the steamships at Victoria to the different Sound ports, thus dispensing with the necessity of their coming any further than Victoria.

While off Cape Flattery, last Thursday evening, the bark Martha Rideout got becalmed and began drifting towards Tatoosh Rock. When within a stone's throw of the little islet, her anchor was let go, but without having the desired effect of bringing her up, and in some way it and twenty-five fathoms of chain were lost. About that time the tug Alexander, having the ship Topgallant in tow, was descried coming down the Straits of Fuca. She was signalled for assistance, and on the payment of a thousand dollars took the bark from her position of peril.

The Hudson's Bay Company.

The report of the Directors of the Hudson's Bay Company is issued. The Governor and Committee express their deep regret that the result of the trade has proved even more unsatisfactory than they had anticipated in November, when their last report was presented. They say that notwithstanding the unprecedented decline in the price of furs which has taken place during the last three years they have not hitherto deemed it expedient to adopt measures whereby the returns or a portion of them should remain in the hands of the Company, to be offered for sale with fresh importations at a future time. They confidently state that at no period of its history has the robe business of the Company been subjected in all its details and in all its branches to a more rigorous examination; and they also affirm that no efforts on the part of the officers abroad or of the Committee at home could have prevented the results which have occurred from the unprecedented decline in the prices of furs and from the general stagnation of business, which has affected not only the Hudson's Bay Company, but most of the commercial undertakings of the country. Upon the present deplorable condition of the Company a financial contemporary makes the following remarks:—"The present report presents a picture of even greater disaster than on the last occasion. There was then a small profit; now there is a heavy loss. This is a consequence of a further fall in prices. There is in the accounts furnished no indication of a falling off in quantities. Of course there is no dividend, and this not only pinches the proprietors, but the officers, and in order to relieve the latter the directors have hit upon the following plan. The plan is, that the officers interested in the outfit of 1876 should receive renumeration at the rate of £100 per share. The amount required for this purpose is £9,200, part of which is to be provided out of a fund originally set apart for another purpose. The land account of the Company, from which such great things were expected, seems to be a wretched exhibit. There is a small balance to be carried forward. It seems probable that Hudson's Bay shares will again go down to eight, possibly lower, for were matters ever so bad with the Company as they are now?"

REMOVED,

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business

THE BELL ORGAN.

The most popular instrument in the Dominion.

B. Shoninger & Co., Choral and Cymbella Organs, the best instruments in America; for elegance of design and purity of tone these instruments are unsurpassed.

Two splendid upright American Piano Fortes for sale by

dw M. W. WAITT & Co.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superceded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

THE Surgeons of the National Surgical Institute are now stopping at the Driard House, and will be there until the 10th inst., where they can be consulted. See card. This is a reliable institution. *

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVELY TO THE COLONIST, THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Afternoon Dispatch.

CANADA.

MONTREAL, July 10.—A mass meeting of French Canadians was held in the Champs de Mars to-night. About 2000 were present. The tenor of the addresses was in support of the Mayor's policy, which the meeting endorsed. A meeting of the officers of Irish societies was also held to-night and the course of the Mayor met with their concurrence. A crowd of several hundred belonging to Griffintown passed through the streets singing. They halted at Orange Hall, St. James street, and broke the windows with stones. Subsequently everything became quiet.

EUROPE.

LONDON, July 10.—Morning journals announce in official form that Sir Garnet Wolsley will sail on Saturday for Cyprus. He will take with him a brigade of British troops from Malta, in addition to the Indian contingent.

VIENNA, July 10.—A telegram from Odessa announces that a director of the Russian Steamer Co. left for San Stefano to prepare for the return of one hundred and twenty-five thousand Russian troops.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

[Per Steamer Sir James Douglas.]

Hot Work with the Indians.

SCOTT'S, Ogn., July 8—8:30 P. M.—Very reliable information comes today from the vicinity of Long Creek, which empties into the North Fork of the John Day River. The information is given by families moving to the Dalles for safety. They say the Indians visited Long Creek last night, burning seven ranches clean and driving off and killing stock.

UMATILLA, July 8, 9 P. M.—Captain Wilkinson, with the steamer Northwest, made an attack this afternoon on a band of Indians crossing horses over the river, about 8 miles above here, killing a large number of horses, and, it is supposed, an Indian or two.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9—A dispatch received at the army headquarters here from General Howard, dated Head of Birch Creek, July 8th, says he found the Indians in force on a height near the head of Butter Creek. The Indians were strongly posted on a rocky crest. The cavalry deployed and advanced handsomely under a heavy fire. The ascent is described as steeper than that at Missionary Ridge, but not a man broke ranks, though several saddles were emptied and many horses killed. The enemy was driven from his position to another height in the rear of a greater elevation and crowned with natural defences of lava rock. In twenty minutes this position was also stormed from different sides at once, and rapid pursuit commenced of flying Indians, who abandoned horses, ammunition and camp materials. The hostiles made for thick timber, crowning the blue ridge, and made another stand, but were again dislodged and pushed four or five miles further in the mountains. The rough country and great exhaustion of men and horses caused cessation of pursuit for to-day. In this engagement, five enlisted men were wounded and about twenty horses killed. It is impossible to state the loss of the enemy. Their women and children and best horses were moved before the fight began, apparently in the direction of Grand Ronde, and the hostiles fled in that direction.

UMATILLA, July 9.—Gov. Chadwick has just received the following: Ten P.M.—The Indians have retreated and will go by the way of Wallowa and Salmon river.

Chas. Jewell of Pendleton, was found in the brush beyond Pilot Rock, badly wounded, where he had been lying since last Saturday without food or drink. When wounded he wrote on a board with a piece of charcoal: "Chas. Jewell, badly wounded; lying in the brush," placed it in the road and then crawled into the brush. Yesterday the board was picked up and Mr. Jewell called for, when he answered and was thereby rescued.

NEVADA.

BATTLE MOUNTAIN, July 8.—A fire broke out in the Battle Mountain Hotel about twelve o'clock Saturday night near a room occupied by Mrs. Ward, a domestic. The fire was under headway when discovered, and owing to the scarcity of water the brick building of J. A. Blossom & Co. was the only building saved in the block, consisting of about fifteen business houses. Mrs. Ward perished in the flames. Elias Jones, a teamster, was badly burned. Dave Bentley had his ankle sprained by jumping from a window on the second floor of the hotel. It is not known how the fire originated. A man was shot at while setting fire to a hay stack belonging to E. Pickett. Hardly anything was saved and there was scarcely any insurance. Several families are destitute. Loss about $35,000.

AGAIN WE CALL THE ATTENTION of mothers to the fact that they can save money by purchasing Boys' Clothes of W. J. JEFFREE, who has received by the last steamer the largest, best and cheapest lot ever imported into this Province. Double hard twisted tweeds for school wear. *

JUST RECEIVED per mail a fine lot of trout flies tied expressly for the Cowichan and Comox Rivers and the Province in general. Price, 75 and 50 cents per dozen. To be had at HENRY SHORT'S, Gunmaker, Fort Street. dw*

THE LATEST.—The undersigned received by City of Panama, a choice lot of Ladies' Costumes, Children's Dresses, Summer Dress Goods, Trimmings, Lace Handkerchiefs, Ties, Sets, etc., etc.—SHEARS & PARTRIDGE, London House. *

On Advertising.

(From the N. Y. World.)

But, after all, the only lamp for the advertiser's feet is experience. If other men found that advertising pays and pays best in the daily newspaper; that not only is expenditure in this direction judicious when it is a question of building up of a buisness, but when the customers thus invited have been retained by fair dealing, courtesy, and irtegrity—then dealers who desire a like measure of success need have no doubt upon the matter. The following is the testimony obtained by W. Sharye and Co. from some great houses with whose name and character New Yorkers are familiar; Messas. Ivison Blakeman, Taylor & Co, publishers says:

"We have tried almost every medium in advertising, and long ago became convinced that the results were largely in favor of the fresh and varied columns of the newspaper."

Messrs. John Duncan's Sons, agents for the Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire sauce say;

"An experience of many years has demonstrated to us the great value and benefit derived from carefully prepared and properly displayed advertisments in well-established and influential newspapers."

Messrs. Lord & Taylor, the eminent dry goods house, regarding the value of news-paper advertising, say:

"Of all the methods open to the merchant for advertising his business, an experience of nearly half a century enables us to unhesitatingly declare in favor of the newspaper. It is, without exception, the most economical, persistent, painstaking and successful cavasser any business firm can secure for the purpose of bringing their goods to the attention of the consumer."

Such witnesses as these are entitled to be listened to by reason of their station, which enables them to speak with authority; also because they give the best and most practical proof of their convictions in the symmetrical developement of their advertising branch with every other necessary branch of their business. When their evidence is all to the same effect it may be excepted as conclusive; their experiments having uniformly resulted in success, their example may be safely and advantageously followed.

THE DESTRUCTION OF LONDON CHURCHES.—According to a recent number of the *American Architect*, the work of denuding London of her churches goes on apace. Most of the older London churches are the work of Wren, and it looks as if England were likely soon to be robbed of all memorials of her most famous architect. Two of his churches have lately been destroyed, and the tower of another; a fourth is now being pulled down, and four others it is said, will soon follow. Of these, two—St. Mildred, Broad street and St. Margaret, Pattens—have spires of remarkable beauty, and the first has an unusually fine interior. The iconoclasts in all these cases are the church authorities themselves. The churches stand in what are now the busiest part of the city, and the clergy are of the opinion that, as the edifices are no longer needed, it is better to sell the sites for business purposes and build in the suburbs. Wm. Morris writes to the London *Times* that the loss of these churches will be irreparable, as they form a distinct link in the history of English church architecture. He says:

Many persons suppose that by preserving St. Paul's, that architect's great masterpiece, enough will be left to illustrate his views upon ecclesiastical architecture; but this is far from being the case. For, grand as St. Paul's undoubtedly is, it is only one of a class of building common enough to the continent—imitations of St. Peter's, Rome. In fact, St. Paul's can scarcely be looked upon as an English design, but rather as an English rendering of the great Italian original; whereas the city churches are examples of pure English Renaissance architecture as applied to ecclesiastical purposes, and illustrate a style peculiar to London, and when they are destroyed one phase of architecture which they exhibit will have ceased to exist, and nothing will be left to record it. The Continent posesses nothing in the least resembling our city churches, and the fact that they are all found in such close proximity to one another only seems to make them the more valuable for purposes of study. One great merit which they possess is shown by the fact that, although they are diminutive in point of size, scarcely any one of them being above eighty feet long, they possess a dignity of proportion, a masterly treatment as to scale, which renders them far more imposing than many buildings double and treble their dimensions.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanite plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

JUST RECEIVED.—Pim's Irish Poplins, Black and Colored Grosgrain Silks, Brabant Lace, Maltese Lace, Collarettes, and sets in Honiton and Maltese, Embroidered and Lace Bordered Handkerchiefs, Dent's Kid Gloves in all the new Tints, Belgian, Danish, French and Undressed Kid Gloves, Black Silk Mitts, Lace Scarves and Fichus, Zephyr Sqrs., Cash's Frillings, and a variety of Crochet, Embroidery, Madeira and Swiss Edgings and Insertions, Infants' Embd. Muslin Frocks, Embd. Piqué Tunics and Pelisses, Tuckd. and Embd. White Skirts and Skirtings, and a full supply of Staple Goods.

* THOS. WILSON & CO.

A Tramp.

There is a general impression that tramps belong to a class by themselves, that they won't work, and all that can be done is to drive them from one place to another as soon as possible. And yet when all the facts are known, there is many a case of absolute suffering among them. Night before last, as a tramp was being put in the calaboose, he requested permission to speak aside to an officer. This was granted and he hesitated some time. Finally he said: "Captain, it's a hard thing for an able-bodied man like me to say, but I'm hungry." The officer looked incredulous, as much as to say, "That's an old story." The other fairly broke down and said, "My God, man, I hain't had a morsel to eat for thirty-six hours and I am starving." His eyes filled with tears, and after a moment he said, "and that isn't the worst of it." "Why," said the officer, "is there anything worse than being hungry?" The other looked at him with tears in his eyes and said, "My God, yes. Look at me. I have a wife and four children back in Ohio. We always had enough to eat and to wear, may be not so fine as some but plenty such as it was. I had a hundred and thirty dollars saved up. The hard times came on; little by little I used up all we had saved. I couldn't get work, and at last we came down to actual want. Great heavens, man, to see them little children going to bed hungry for want of supper and me and their mother both able and willing to work and nothing for us to do. I finally told her I couldn't stand it. I would go West. I went, and have walked all the way from Ohio here to try and get work and not a day's work can I get. Here I am, a tramp, starving here in the calaboose and my little family starving at home. If I can get a dollar a day I'll work, or half a dollar. All I want is a chance to earn a little money. I want a piece of bread to keep me until morning." His own wants were provided for, but what can the administration do when this story is related over and over in one form or another. There are many cases of honorable destitution even among the persecuted tramps.—*Peoria (Ill.) Journal.*

DRESSING AT AN ENGLISH STATE BALL.—At the recent State ball the Princess of Wales wore a beautiful dress of pale blue satin, nearly covered in different shades of geraniums, which formed an entire tablier; several veils of tulle fell over it, and seemed fastened to a small quilted satin train by bunches of geraniums. The corsage was richly studded with rare gems and flowers. The diadem which her Royal Highness wore was resplendent, and several rows of pearls fell over her shoulders, and a row of matchless diamonds encircled her throat. The Duchess of Teck wore a most unique toilet in satin, of the color called vert mousse, intermixed with a magnificent brocade of pale cream, and bouquets of roses and leaves in the tints of the vert mousse; the jupe and corsage were draped in scarves of finest Brussels lace drawn up with large tiger lilies. The Duchess of Manchester was beautifully dressed in a Princess robe of white satin, drawn up over a jupe of tulle, with branches of white magnolias and green leaves, and profusions of diamonds on the corsage. The Duchess of Sutherland looked beautiful; she wore a dress entirely composed of black tulle, with Arum lilies, relieved by magnificent jewels.

NO BONES IN THE OCEAN.—Mr. Jeffery has established the fact that bones disappear in the ocean. By dredging it is common to bring up teeth, but rarely ever a bone of any kind; these, however compact, dissolve if exposed to the action of the water but a little time. On the contrary teeth—which are not bones any more than whales are fish—resist the destroying action of sea-water indefinitely. It is, therefore, a powerful solvent. Still, the popular opinion is that it is brine. If such were the case, the bottom of all seas would, long ago, have been shallowed by immense accumulations of carcasses and products of the vegetable kingdom constantly floating into them. Dentine, the peculiar material of which teeth are formed, and the emanel covering them, offers extraordinary resistance to these chemical agencies which resolve other animal remains into nothingness. Mounds in the West, tumuli in Europe and Asia, which are believed to antedate sacred history for thousands of years, yield up perfectly sound teeth, on which time appears to have made no impression whatever.

FOR many years French has been the recognised language of diplomacy. In 1871 Prince Bismarck wished to exalt German to that position and accordingly wrote a diplomatic note in that tongue to Prince Gortschakoff on the subject of German unity and the humiliation of France. The Russian Chancellor, however, did not give in to the idea of making the Teutonic the international tongue, and, therefore, answered his brother of Germany in Russian. Another departure has just taken place at the Congress, at whose first session Lord Beaconsfield and Prince Bismarck spoke in English. It would be s[...] factory to think that, as Anglo [...] is the language of so large a p[...] the civilized world, it sho[...] and for all adopted as t[...] communication betwe[...] the earth.

PEACE PROCLA[...] of active warfar[...] with my custom[...] I am now ready [...] duced rates. [...] repaired; fade[...] stored and m[...] when now. [...] have reason [...] send their a[...] and dyer, [...] Hall. Cas[...] for work.

AUCTION SALES.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Salesroom, Fireproof Building,

YATES STREET, - VICTORIA, B. C.

Liberal Advances made on Consignments.

To facilitate the Sale of Real Estate we have complete Maps of Victoria, Esquimalt, New Westminster and the Districts.

N. B.—Parties desirous of selling their Stock, Stock-in-Trade, or Furniture, and not wishing the trouble of an Auction Sale, can find a Cash Buyer by calling on the above. mh8

Auction Sale.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.

Will sell at their salesrooms, Yates street,

— ON —

Saturday, July 13th, 1878,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

A QUANTITY OF

FURNITURE, PAINTS, HARDWARE, STOVES, CLOTHING, HATS, ETC.

W. R. CLARKE & CO., Auctioneers.

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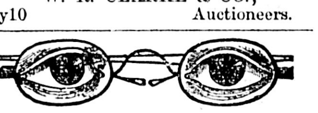


C. W. A. LANGE

WATCHMAKER, JEWELLER AND OPTICAN

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

THE FINEST ASSORTMENT OF SPECTACLES, Eye, Marine, Opera and Magnifying Glasses constantly on hand. mh15 2p3m

SALE

RENEWED FOR 30 DAYS.

S. L. KELLY & CO.

YATES STREET.

THE ENTIRE STOCK OF

RANGES, COOKING, BOX AND HEATING STOVES, TINWARE, ETC.

Will be offered at cost for Thirty Days from this date as the whole Stock must be disposed of within that time.

Victoria, B. C., July 5, 1878. jy7

A. B. Cooke, CHEMIST & DRUGGIST

WILL OPEN ON MONDAY, JULY 1st, AT THE corner of Yates and Broad streets, with a

NEW AND COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

Drugs, Chemicals, Perfumery

PATENT MEDICINES, ETC.

Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Recipes carefully prepared at the Lowest Rates. je25

JUST RECEIVED.

A VARIED ASSORTMENT OF

NEW CUTLERY,

DIRECT FROM

RODGERS', WADE & BUTCHER'S, RENSHAW'S AND WOLSTENHOLM'S.

PEN AND POCKET KNIVES, RAZORS AND SCISSORS,

TABLE CUTLERY, ELECTRO PLATED WARE, B. M. TEA AND COFFEE POTS, ETC.

ALSO—AT COST PRICE,

Bronze Stand & other Lamps.

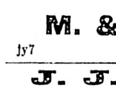
M. & H. A. FOX,

jy7 GOVERNMENT STREET.

J. J. BLAND,

FASHIONABLE

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER



HAS REMOVED FROM JOHNSON Street to

YATES STREET,

Opposite Mansell & Holroyd's,

BOOTS AND SHOES MADE TO ORDER AT SHORT NOTICE.

REPAIRING NEATLY DONE. je5 1m

BAGNALL'S

NEW MUSIC STORE

IS NOW REPLETE WITH EVERY kind of Musical Instrument. English, French, German and American PIANOS and ORGANS at prices from $240 to $550 can be tested side by side. A choice selection of VIOLINS, GUITARS and other musical instruments. A nice assortment of Fancy Goods direct from Paris.

STANDARD MUSIC and instruction books for all instruments. An immense stock of sheet music, the latest publications constantly arriving.

PIANOS and ORGANS tuned and regulated, and old ones taken in exchange.

MUSIC at Reduced Prices. Pianos and Organs for hire and sold on the instalment principle. Everybody should call at

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[...] G. T. [...]cisely, in je30

[...] manner; [...]yle and fashion [...]e and passion; [...] stated, [...] celebrated; [...]Straight Cut, all go, [...]Big Cut, Wind Sap, also [...]Fine Cut Brands for chewing [...]your teeth will never ruin; [...]ipes to suit the inveterate smoker, Cards for playing sinch or poker, Pipes of briar and stems of cherry More than any man can carry; It would take a week to tell you All the things he has to sell you. While in town you may be stopping At the "Adelphi Corner" drop in; Campbell you'll find at that location Ready to give you information, Or to see you well provided, With what is by all decided, The smoker's and the chewer's glory, The best and cheapest in Victoria.

F. CAMPBELL

[...] Cyanide Potas[...] and all Chemicals re[...] jallw

STOCKS AND MINES.

ENTERPRISE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO.
(LIMITED)

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders of the Enterprise Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the B. Col. Stock Board, on Tuesday the 20th August, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The following business will come up for discussion:

First—Consideration of assistance to the Cariboo Quartz Co. in sinking shaft on the Bonanza lode.

Second—The issuing of certificates to Promoters; also, the continuation of corporate existence of the Enterprise Company under the Companies Act of 1878.

jy11 D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING COMPANY
(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per share, levied 20th June, 1878, and payable at the Company's office in Victoria, or to Charles Wilson, Agent at Barkerville, will be delinquent on Tuesday, 9th July next. By order.

G. A. SARGISON, Secty.

Victoria, 20th June, 1878. je20

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at Barkerville on Monday, July the 29th, at 7:30 p.m., for the Election of Trustees and the transaction of important business.

By order of the Trustees.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

Barkerville, June 29, 1878. jy7dw

MONTGOMERY QUARTZ CO.,
OF CHISHOLM CREEK.

THE SEVENTH ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per foot, levied June 19th, is now due and payable to the Secretary at Stanley.

ANDREW FLETCHER, Secty.

Stanley, June 22nd, 1878. jy7dw

NOTICE.

THE OFFICE OF THE COOPER GOLD & SILver Mining Company (Limited) was this day removed to Langley street, opposite the Angel Hotel.

C. MORTON, Secretary.

Victoria, June 29th, 1878. je30dwlm

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AT THE ENSUING SESSION OF THE Provincial Legislature the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company, Limited will apply for an Act to enable the Company to separate their location on the Steadman ledge from the other property of the Company so as to form another company in respect of the Steadman location. Such other company to be called the Steadman Company. The shares in the Steadman Company to be offered to the shareholders in the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company in proportion to their shares in that company, and if declined to be disposed of by the Steadman Company for the benefit of the Company.

Barkerville, 18th May, 1878. my23dw

PERSEVERANCE QUARTZ MINING CO.,
(LIMITED.)

LOCATION OF WORKS,
Pomeroy Lode, Conklin Gulch.

ASSESSMENT NO. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A MEETing of the Trustees of the said Company, held on the 5th of June, 1878, an Assessment of One Cent per Share was levied upon the Capital Stock of said Company, payable on the 18th July, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any Stock upon which said Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 18th July, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction; and, unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 3rd day of August, 1878, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

CHARLES WILSON,
Secretary Perseverance Quartz Mining Co. (Limited)

je23dw Barkerville, B. C.

CHAS. MORTON, COMMISSION STOCK BROKER

MEMBER B. C. MINING STOCK BOARD,

Has removed his office to Langley Street, opposite Angel Hotel. de18dw

TO BUTCHERS, FARMERS, ETC.

HIDES.

THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID BY the undersigned for Hides in good order:

GREEN HIDES 7 CENTS PER LB.
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Which they will sell CHEAP for CASH.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

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THE SPLENDID STEAMER

"OLYMPIA,"

CAPTAIN STOTHARD,

Will sail for the above Ports on

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CARRYING FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS.

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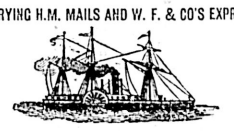

THE FIRST-CLASS STEAMSHIP

CITY OF PANAMA

CAPT. SEABURY,

Will leave Engelhardt & Co's wharf at Esquimalt for San Francisco,

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AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

All freight and baggage for her must be on the wharf at VICTORIA BY TUESDAY AT 5 P. M.

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Carrying H. M. MAILS, Freight and Passengers will, on and after 1st July next, leave the Hudson Bay Company's wharf, Victoria for Port Townsend, W. T., on

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Returning the same days.

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R. WALLACE,
Postoffice Inspector.

Postoffice Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 22d June, 1878. je23

NOTICE.

TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

THE POWERFUL SCREW STEAM-TUG

"PILOT"

Will Tow Vessels in British Columbia waters at LOWEST RATES.

Apply to the Captain on board, or at the office of ENGELHARDT & CO., OWNERS, Wharf street.

Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

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CALIFORNIA,
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Having superior accommodation for passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about

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NEITHER CAPT. ANDERSON NOR THE HUDson's Bay Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

For the Hudson Bay Co.

je 1 WM. CHARLES.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

THE SAND HEAD LIGHT SHIP WILL BE placed at her moorings on and after Tuesday the 11th inst.

JAMES COOPER,
Agent Dept. Marine and Fisheries

Victoria, B. C., June 8, 1878. je9dw2w

NOTICE.

TO SHIP OWNERS AND CAPTAINS

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Fitted with two 36-inch Cylinders, having been thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new boilers and other improvements, making her one of the most powerful and economical Tugs on this coast, is now prepared to tow vessels in B. C. waters.

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D. MARSHALL LANG,
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PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS EXAMINATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE ANnual Teachers Examination for the Province of British Columbia will be held in New Westminster, commencing on Wednesday, 10th July next, at nine o'clock a.m.

All third class and temporary certificated teachers, together with those holding second class certificates, awarded in July, 1875, and others desirous of becoming Public School Teachers, are required to attend.

Each candidate must notify the Superintendent of Education, on or before the fourth day of July, of his or her intention to undergo the examination, and accompany such notification with "satisfactory proof of good moral character."

By order of the Board,

JOHN JESSOP,
Superintendent of Education.

Victoria, 1st July, 1878. je2dw

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MADAME PETIBEAU'S SCHOOL WILL BE REopened on Monday 8th July, 1878.

☞Private French Lessons. je30dw1m

Instruction for Young Ladies

ON THURSDAY, THE 1ST AUGUST NEXT, Mrs. Richard Covington will, with competent assistants, form classes in the usual branches of English Education, as also in the French and Italian Languages, with Pianoforte Music and Drawing.

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Head Master for High School Wanted.

APPLICATIONS, ACCOMPANIED BY CERTIficates, Testimonials, Diplomas, &c., for the situation of Head Master of Victoria High School, will be received at the Education Office up to Friday, 5th day of July next. Salary $125 per month.

By order of the Board,

JOHN JESSOP,
Supt. of Education.

Victoria, 12th June, 1878. je12

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE BEEN commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

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RESPECTABLE GUESTS PROVIDED WITH BOARD AND LODGING AT $6 PER WEEK AND UPWARD, ACCORDING TO ROOMS.

THE BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS AT THE BAR.

A SPLENDID VIEW of the grand and beautiful Scenery bordering on the Straits and Washington Territory may be had from this house.

A CARRIAGE will run between the Steamers and the Hotel for the accommodation of travelers.

WM. H. RITCHESON.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 18, 1878. fe1

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THE VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY

AND OTHERS WHO WANT TO BECOME FIRST class shots will muster every day at the

STAR SHOOTING GALLERY

GOVERNMENT STREET,

TWO DOORS SOUTH OF THE POST OFFICE,

Where may be found a choice

ASSORTMENT OF WINES, LIQUORS & CIGAR

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☞Fire-proof Safe in the House.☜

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VIEW STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

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SUITES OF ROOMS FOR FAMILIES.

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Cache Creek, May 10th, 1878. my16dw

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MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain, Europe and U. S., *via* San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A. M.
Do. *via* Tacoma.....	Monday and Thursday at 3 P. M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P. M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival..	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from April 25th.
China and Japan.....	Irregular dates of arrival..	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	Irregular dates of arrival..	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A.M.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M.....	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo and Intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.....	Monday at 6 P. M.
Comox and Intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt.....	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily at 11.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.
Metchosin.....	Monday at 1 P.M.....	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich.....	Wednesday at 9 A.M.....	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke.....	Monday at 3 P.M.....	Tuesday at 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

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POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

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Ladies' Empress Button,	Gents' Broadway Gaiters,	Gents' Tongue Boots,
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" Polished Lace,	" Seamless Calf Gaiters,	" Lace Boots,
" Button,	" Eng. Enam'ld Leggins,	" Elastic Side Boots,
" Seamless do. new style	" Riding Boots,	" Webster Tie,
" Congress Fh glove kid	" Napoleon do.	" Windsor Buckle,
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